

Dear Mr.
TILTON SCHOOL
TILTON, N.H.
GEORGE L. PLIMPTON, HEADMASTER

December 10, 1924.

Mr. Charles F. Lummis, President
200 East Avenue 43
Los Angeles, California.

Dear Mr. Lummis:

I am inclosing a check for \$1.50. We have tried several times to find your address. One check came back some months ago, as it did not find you. You gave no address whatever on your bills, nor did you on this bill, but we found it on the envelope.

I wonder if you have any historical material connected with your father, who as you know, was for some years head of this institution. We are getting material together for a history of the school, and we would like to get any material connected with your father, especially his life here in Tilton.

I am sending you a copy of our catalogue, and some views of the school. I hope to come to California sometime within a year and should be glad to see you personally. Your sister, as you know, taught for me several years.

Very sincerely yours,

Geo. L. Plimpton

GLP/GAM
Enclosure.

Dec 17, 1924

Prof. George L. Plimpton,
Headmaster, Tilton High School,
Tilton, N. H.

Dear Prof. Plimpton:-

Thank you for your remittance.
It was an over sight to leave the address off the due
bills. But it is always on the Song Booksitself!

I have no historical material
relating to my father, but presume you might procure
something from my sister Harriett Lummis Smith, 4827
Hazel Avenue, Philadelphia.

I know he graduated from
Wesleyan University, Middleton, Conn., Class of 1855.
He was Principal of the Lynn, Massachusetts, High School
in 1859, when I was born (March 1st) in the famous
"Fanny Davenport" house. About 1861 I think he went to
Tilton, then Sanbornton Bridge, and I think he remained
there about six years. My mother died in 1861; and about
1868 he married Jenny Brewster, who had been a teacher
at the Tilton Seminary. His next move was to Auburndale
where he taught in the Lasell Seminary. Then he entered
actively into the Ministry, holding three year charges
(I think in that order) at Natick, Ashland, Boston,
Highlands, Monson, Watertown and Dedham.

I think it was from the latter
place that he went about 35 years ago to Appleton, Wisconsin
where he taught for 18 years or more in Lawrence University.
It is needless to say that he was widely beloved in all
these posts. He died at Appleton, April 12, 1905. He was
born in Maryland, May 25- 1825.

Of his life in Tilton I remember almost nothing except childish episodes of my own concerning for I was but six when I went there; and I have never been back since our removal to Auburndale.

If you come out to California I surely trust you will look me up, it will be a pleasure to meet you.

Sincerely Yours,

CFL/ MD

Top Vegetables, Cat.
200 East Ave #3,
Ches. B. Burns

December 13, 1923.

Principal Tilton School, Tilton, N. H.

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Tilton, N. H.

Dear Sir:—I am afraid that I have not had time to get to you a reply to your letter of the 15th instant.

Dear Sir: I thought perhaps my "Book of Spanish Songs" may have a special interest to the Tilton School, owing to the fact

that my father was Principal there for several years in the early Sixties; and I was there a couple of years as a little boy, until we removed to Auburndale, Mass.

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I have never been back in Tilton since I was eight; but have some very vivid memories of it still.

With best wishes for the old Institution,
Sincerely Yours,

I have been reading a book on the history of the First World War, and I am finding it very interesting. It is a good book, and I would recommend it to anyone who is interested in the history of the First World War. The book is written by a historian, and it is well-researched. I am learning a lot from it, and I am grateful for the author's work.

I enclose pictures and will be grateful for any suggestions you may be willing to make for a better and more New Year's gift.

Yours truly, William Bailey